

I am opposed to the Broadcast over Power Lines proposal. I am an amateur radio operator, call sign WJ0F, who uses HF, VHF, and UHF frequencies and work with weak signals on those frequencies as part of my hobby. I also participate in SKYWARN and other amateur emergency communications. Interference from BPL would severely degrade these communications. Out west there are long distances between communicators, ask the Forest Service if "some interference" would be ok while fighting a wildfire or performing a rescue. BPL would affect everyone that uses radio communications.